

In the specification:

Please substitute the following paragraphs for the paragraphs at the indicated locations in the specification as originally filed or most recently amended.

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As shown in Fig. 3, the network 710 is provided with routers 911a to 911c, each including call admission sections 912a to 912c, respectively. One end of the network 710 is connected to another network or a terminal, which is denoted by reference numeral 924a, and the other end is connected to another network or a terminal, which is denoted by reference numeral 924b. The routers 911a to 911c receive packets 951a to 951c respectively, and after executing packet routing, output them as packets ~~911b to 911d~~ 915a to 951d. Each of the call admission sections 912a to 912c exchanges signaling signals 915a to 915d with call admission sections of adjacent routers or other networks/terminals 924a and 924b. In addition, there is provided a policy server 913 including a policy decision section 917 and a policy DB (database) 918.